

# Our day at Drayton Manor

Dear Diary,

On Monday 5th June 2017, we went to Drayton Manor theme park and it was the best trip ever. All of the rides were so fun to go on. On some of them I went on twice because they were really fun.

When we got on the coach, I was so excited to go on all the rides and be with my friends and just to spend some time with the teachers without being in school. When we got there my teacher (Mrs. Taylor) called us out to be with a teacher and the options were: Mrs. Taylor, Mr. Baker, Mrs. Whittingham, Mrs. Husted and Mr. Dodd. I was with Mrs. Husted and the friends I wanted to be with- Moji, Shanel and Nikola and I was really happy about the choice they made because I liked the teacher but was with all my friends that I adored. We got off the coach and waited for everyone else. Once everyone was out, we went to the main entrance where we were checked in with our tickets. By that time I was really excited because we were one step closer to going to the rides and see everything.

We were inside! The first thing we had to do was go through the zoo just to go see how rides were made and we figured out how much things cost to make it a good theme park. We were all finished with the amazing lesson so then we went back where we came from to thoroughly see the different types of creatures and animals. It was kind of scary but they are animals and it's what's in this world in many counties.

It was finally the time we went on the rides/rollercoaster. I was jumping around because I've never been in an actual theme park before especially with my best mates. Firstly, we all went on Accelerator (Ben-Ten it used to be called). Not everyone went on it but the majority went on it. I got and I was super scared. When it started it went backwards. Sadly I was at front with my friend Moji and we were screaming SO loud because it felt like you were going to fall out. Gladly we did not fall but were almost crying. It Was Terrifying.

Secondly, we went on Apocalypse and I regret that the most, as when you go to the top of the ride, they take a picture of you while you are in the sky then it releases you from high up and you feel like you want to scream but you physically can't! Then we headed off to the Pirate Ship ride. I was about to go on it, but then I remembered the bad experience I had in the past so then I headed off to go on a rollercoaster with Mr. Baker and his group. It was a brilliant ride that I enjoyed the most of all and I went on I twice; that's how good it was! Not so much for my friend Moji -she was crying and screaming to get off. She was like a baby (don't tell her that I said that) while I was having the time of my life.

After that, I went back to my group to go on the ride called Air-Raid and again I went on with Moji. When we were in our seats, I thought that it would be a nice ride! IT WAS NOT! It felt we were where going to crash into people-we didn't- and it went upside down so our heads were facing the ground. That felt like a minute, but I was told that it was only a couple of seconds. We were screaming so loudly that we put off the children that wanted to go on. I felt bad but I couldn't help it. I regret that ride as well.

Next we headed off to go on Shockwave. Now, I was about to go on, but somebody told me that you have to stand up so I completely chickened out because I know that when you do the loop you feel unsafe so I waited awhile. I waited. I wanted to go on G-Force: a ride I recommend if you are going to be super brave. I didn't feel brave but still went on. It was good but the strap was quite tight well it has to be so you do not fall out but it was a ride that I screamed on of course.

Then we went to find a space to eat our lunch. It was also next to a ride so before I ate my lunch, I went on that with a teacher - Mrs Taylor - and two girls; Shanel and Moji. It was called Drunken Barrels; it's like the tea-cups but barrels. Now it started and they were spinning it so fast and the ground was tilting - not very fun.

Next we went to the Haunted House. I was squeezing really tight to my friends, Nikola and Moji, because I was scared. We were at the back. Never go to the back, go in the middle! We walked in a room where the man left so we were on our own. The room got pitch-black, a man started to talk to us but he was a ghost. I was holding onto my friend so tight I was scared. When we were in the dark, Mrs. Taylor pretended that there was a spider on my head. I said "Stop it, I don't like it." I was nearly crying but she was laughing. Through the ride I held on tight to my friend. I never let go or left the sight of any of the teachers. Glad that was over.

It was time to go. It was the best trip we've had since year 2. All the other trips were ok, but this was the best of all. I know they won't read this, I will make sure of it but I would like to thank all of the teachers because they have took the time and money to set this trip for us because the class can be a bit loud and annoying towards teachers and children but I am glad they gave us this opportunity.

Bye diary I will write tomorrow!!

Joyce